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Honorable Caspar Weinberger Director, Office of Management and Budget Washington, D. C. 20503

My dear Mr. Weinberger:

I have the request of the Office of Management and Budget for this Agency's views and recommendations on enrolled bill S. 3645, an Act "To further amend the United States Information and Educational Exchange Act of 1948."

This Act authorises \$38,520,000 for Fiscal Year 1973 to be appropriated to the Secretary of State to provide grants under such terms and conditions as the Secretary considers appropriate to Radio Free Europe and Radio Liberty. It also provides that no other funds appropriated after the date of the Act may be made available to or for the use of Radio Free Europe and Radio Liberty in Fiscal Year 1973. Since the Department of State has full authority and responsibility for the conduct of activities in support of Radio Free Europe and Radio Liberty, we defer to any special views the Department may have on this legislation.

I recommend that S. 3645 be approved by the President.

Since rely, Richard Helms

Richard Helms Director

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s. 3645

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Wilfred H. Rommel Assistant Director for Legislative Reference

Attention:

Mr. John Maury Central Intelligence Agency

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Hinety-second Congress of the United States of America

AT THE SECOND SESSION

Begun and held at the City of Washington on Tuesday, the eighteenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-two

An Act

To further amend the United States Information and Educational Exchange $\,$ Act of 1948.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 703 of the United States Information and Educational Exchange Act of 1948 is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 703. There are authorized to be appropriated to the Secretary of State \$38,520,000 for fiscal year 1973 to provide grants, under such terms and conditions as the Secretary considers appropriate, to Radio Free Europe and Radio Liberty. Except for funds appropriated pursuant to this section, no funds appropriated after the date of this Act may be made available to or for the use of Radio Free Europe or Radio Liberty in fiscal year 1973."

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Vice President of the United States and President of the Senate.

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